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Requirement for Information

Applicant and the assignee of this application are required under 37 CFR 1.105 to provide the following information that the examiner has determined is reasonably necessary to the examination of this application.

The assignment or ownership of the is application and that of US Patent 5479378, with which interference is sought, must be determined before interference may be considered.

Applicant previously indicated (in the letter of 10/2/1997) that this application was assigned To Seiko Instruments, and that Pat. No. 5479378 was assigned to Seiko Telecommunications, Inc. , and that these entities are not commonly owned.

It appears that Pat. No. 5479378 may now be assigned to Seiko Instruments as well.

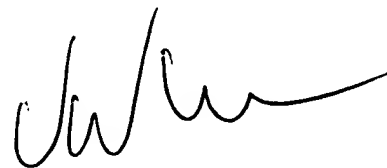
Applicant and assignee are therefore required to identify the assignee of this application, and if US Pat. 5479378 is in fact also assigned to Seiko Instruments.

This requirement is subject to the provisions of 37 CFR 1.134, 1.135 and 1.136 and has a shortened statutory period of TWO (2) months. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Vit W. Miska whose telephone number is 571-272-2108. The examiner can normally be reached on M-F 9-5:30.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, P. Bradley can be reached on 571-272-2001. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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